

**Amendments to the Specification:**

Please delete the paragraph on page 6, lines 8-24 and replace with the following replacement paragraph:

The metal strip 12 preferably is made of copper or copper alloy and the mounting tails 13 are sheet metal SMT tails. In SMT, the PCB 5 is provided with a paste and the shielding cage 8 is placed on the PCB 5 such that the mounting tails 13 are positioned on the solder foots 14. Subsequently heating, also referred to as re-flow, is performed such that the mounting tails are soldered to the solder foots 14 using the paste as solder agent. The mounting tails 13 are flexible to provide relief for shear stresses developing as a result of the difference in thermal expansion coefficient between the PCB 5 and the die-cast shielding cage 8. A typical thermal expansion coefficient of a Zn-alloy die-cast shielding cage 8 is  $2.67 \times 10^{-5}$  mm/mK while the thermal expansion of the PCB 5 and the copper and copper/tin parts of the PCB 5 is in the range of  $1.4-1.9 \times 10^{-5}$  mm/mK. The flexible mounting tails 13 provide a flexible connection to ensure that the solder joints between the mounting tails 13 and the PCB ~~[[13]]~~ 5 are not over-stressed.